

HOPKINSVILLE, KENTUCKY.

A fire and growing city of 8,000 inhabitants, situated in a county of 40,000. The Louisville and Nashville have two lines of railroad in the county and the people have recently voted aid to two new roads. Largest tobacco growing county in the world. Wheat, corn, hay, coal, live stock and fruits produced for export in large quantities. The city has four banks with an aggregate capital of \$1,000,000. A planing mill and wagon factory, three carriage factories, lime factory, tobacco manufactory, two foundries, three brickyards, brown factory, steam laundry, ice factory, two large flouring mills in the city and several in the county. Five turnpikes centering in Hopkinsville. Huddell and Linn Association, Commercial Club, telephone exchange, numbered streets and houses and city lighted by gas. Mechanized streets and black sidewalks all over the city. Rivers church, two colleges, a high school and the finest system of public schools, white and colored, in the State. Western Kentucky Lunatic Asylum with a population of 400, two miles east of the city. A 1,000-cow dairy with town clock in the dome. A fine fire department and a company of State Guards. Little River furnishes an adequate supply of water for all purposes. Real estate low and rents cheap. Fine opening for woolen mill, pork packing establishment, fruit ranch, ransard and many other enterprises. Climate mild and invigorating and exceedingly beautiful.

In a red-hot municipal contest at Frankfort, Capt. E. H. Taylor defeated Judge Alvin Duval for Mayor by 65 majority.

The latest thing out in Danville is the Progressive Conversation, whatever that is. It's dollars to cents there's a woman in it.

They now say the Republican majority in the House will be nine. The Democrats appear to have been run in a sure enough nine-hole.

Hronek, the Chicago Anarchist who conspired to murder the court officers who tried the Haymarket gang, was tried last week and sent to the penitentiary for twelve years.

Clarksville, Tennessee, a town shown by the last census to be considerably smaller than Hopkinsville, is trying to get a free mail delivery and it might be well enough for Hopkinsville to begin work for the same object.

Since it has been settled that the next House will be Republican, candidates for the Speakership are beginning to hestitate themselves. McKinley, of Ohio, Cannon, of Illinois, and Reed, of Maine, are already announced. A western man will probably be chosen and that man is most likely to be McKinley, who is the coming man of his party.

Owensboro's new road to Louisville was opened last week and this week Paducah's line to Hickmanville, Ill., giving her important connections, was finished and opened for business. Hopkinsville will have her turn a little later on and when both of our new roads get here look out for a boom that nothing can stop until she becomes a city of double her present population.

Among the prominent Confederate officers who are now training with the Republican party are Gen. Longstreet, Gen. Mahone, Gen. Chalmers, of Mississippi, Gen. Benbow, of the same State, and the notorious Col. Jno. S. Mosby. It is also worthy of note that four out of the five Republicans in the present Congress from Virginia were in the Confederate army.

The Presidential Electors for Kentucky will meet in the capital building at Frankfort, on Monday Jan. 11th, to cast the vote of the State for President and Vice President. The following is a list of the Electors chosen: For the State at large, John S. Rhea and Claude M. Thomas; First district, W. M. Smith; Second, Jno. W. Lockett; Third, W. T. Cox; Fourth, John D. Fogle; Fifth, Shackerford Miller; Sixth, T. J. McElrath; Seventh, John T. Haskins; Eighth, J. A. Craft; Ninth, W. J. Hendrick; Tenth, Thomas Y. Fitzpatrick; and Eleventh, J. R. Sampson.

At the assembling of Congress Monday President Cleveland submitted his last message to that body, which was one of his ablest and most logical of his state papers. He reiterated his former expressions on the tariff question and declared that there can be no compromise in a question of such importance to the people. Tariff reform is delayed but cannot be settled until the right prevails. Two President disannues our foreign relations, the Sackville West matter, the college question and other important matters at length and the document is the longest he has ever written.

Pascal Porter, an eleven-year-old boy, is preaching the gospel at Warsaw, Ky., and creating a tremendous sensation. The Warsaw Independent has this to say of a recent sermon preached by him: "The boy and his managers state that it is an inborn gift transmitted by the Supreme Being. Whatever it is, there is no question but it is phenomenal and beyond the comprehension of every body, strangers to him. His father claims that his last sermon here on 'The Resurrection' was prepared by the boy on the day he delivered it here. It would have taken an average preacher a week to have prepared it. The little fellow is very childish in his association with children, and enjoys a romp and play with the best of them. He is very dignified and precise at times, and then again he lapses into the way of one

AMOUNTS TO NOTHING.

The Last Movement of the Anti-Railroad Magistrates.

The County Court of Claims was in session last Wednesday. It was called together for the purpose of ratifying a settlement made by Linder & Clark, attorneys for the county in bringing suit against the Louisville & Nashville Railroad Company for back taxes. The case in the lower court was decided in favor of the county, but was appealed to the Court of Appeals, which sustained the judgment of the lower court. The decision, as was published in this paper not long since, compels the Railroad Company to pay into the county treasury about \$8,000 back taxes.

After ratifying the settlement and allowing the attorneys \$1,500 as a fee, "Squire Myers introduced the following order, which was passed by a vote of 19 for to 13 against: 'That Messrs. Feland, Stiles & Feland be, and they are hereby authorized and directed, in connection with the County Attorney, to institute any suit they think necessary and advisable to settle in the courts the question of the issue of bonds to the Ohio Valley and Cairo & Tennessee Railroads, and to determine whether they were voted upon the county legally and by a majority of the legal vote of the county. This movement was unexpected by the friends of the roads, but does not amount to anything. It looks a little strange that the attorneys of the L. & N. Company should be employed by the county to institute a suit in behalf of the county which had to sue it to force the payment of taxes due the county. It looks like the L. & N. must have a hand in the matter. The friends of the roads need not lose any sleep about it, however, for we are told by those who know, that the order does not amount to a hill of beans. The time for purging the polls expired long ago. The legality of the election is beyond question. The attorneys of the Ohio Valley Railroad Co., who reside in Louisville, we believe, say that this action by the Court of Claims is nothing, and we have the positive assurance from the leading men of the County that the road will be built, as no importance is attached to the order of the court. The surveyors are now busy running two routes and the road will in a few days be located from here to Princeton.

Council Proceedings.

The City Council met in regular session last Tuesday and the following business was transacted: Present, Councilmen Thompson, Beard, Campbell, Gilliland, Brown, Anderson and Starling. The minutes of the last meeting were read, approved and signed. The following accounts and pay rolls were presented, examined and allowed:

Jordan Barker, feeding prisoners	\$1.20
J. A. Bosch, carrying	61.45
Mazard, work in cemetery	12.00
J. F. Gordon & Co., coal acct	2.40
Gas Co., gas, street work	16.10
Pay Roll No. 96, street work	24.60
115	20.12
125	40.45
125	22.11

John A. Twyman, superintendent of streets reported that, as directed, he had placed down stone curbing at the expense of the city, and made a good cluster walk on North Main street, in front of the lot of Mrs. Nancy B. Stevenson and Mrs. Lucy H. Heider. The total cost for the improvement was \$75.40. The city now asserts a lien on said lots for the payment of said sum.

The Auditor reported that he had redeemed 20 Public School Bonds of \$100 each. He was instructed to redeem the same number of said bonds at \$100 on first of January, 1889.

Alexander Smith, a colored, minister of the Gospel, was released from paying poll tax.

William Wallace, colored was released from paying poll tax for 1888, and thereafter until the order is rescinded.

Alexander Campbell and H. T. Underwood were appointed Judges, Austin D. Hicks, clerk, and Alex. Brent, sheriff of the election to be held Saturday, Dec. 8th, 1888, for the election of seven Councilmen of this city, and City Attorney. The election to be held in the City Court room.

S. H. Turner, on behalf of several gentlemen, appeared before the council and asked for the exclusive privilege of building a line of street railway in the city, the cars to be drawn either by horses or propelled by electricity. No definite action was taken, but it was agreed that the Chairman shall call a special meeting at the proper time to consider the proposition.

A man who has practiced medicine for 40 years, ought to know salt from sugar; read what he says.

THE CITY ELECTION.

Three Tickets to Be Run—Card From the Citizens' Nominees.

The city election is now the talk of the town. Both sides are holding secret meetings, but enough is known to make a pretty fair prediction of what will be done. The Citizens' Progressive Ticket will be opposed by two tickets, both engineered by the same parties. One will be the old board—if the two Democrats on that board will consent to run—and the other will be composed of four members of the old board with three new men, making a straight Republican ticket. The main issue at stake is a new police force and many Republicans, white and colored, who are dissatisfied with the present force will support the Citizens' ticket. Every indication now points to the election of the new board by a large majority. The ward question is not an issue and the nominees authorize the following statement:

Not a Ward Ticket.

We the undersigned nominees for city councilmen on the Citizens' Progressive Ticket do hereby accept the nomination, and in the event of our election will faithfully conduct the affairs of the city, treating both the colored and white citizens with equal justice. An erroneous report having been circulated that we intended to divide the city into wards, we desire to correct the same and state that we do not intend to divide the city into wards during our term of office.

W. M. HILL,
F. E. HENDERSON,
F. W. DUNN,
N. B. SMITH,
M. C. FOWLER,
J. G. HORN,
W. T. RAYMOND.

Who Shall Vote.

It is well that all desiring to vote in the city election to-morrow should read the following as to who are qualified voters. It is a copy of Section 14 of Article 3, of the City Charter: "Section 14. No person shall be entitled to vote for Councilman, City Marshal or Judge of City Court of Hopkinsville, who is not a male citizen of the United States, and who has not resided two years in the State of Kentucky and one year in said City next preceding the election at which he offers to vote, and who is not a bona fide resident of said city, or the ward in which he offers to vote, and who shall not have paid all his taxes for the current year, together with all arrears of taxes, against him for a violation of any of the ordinances of said city or any of the penal laws of the State of Kentucky within the limits of said city, and imposed in the City Court against him, which payment upon being questioned by any person who is a qualified voter of said city, or judge or officer of said election, shall be satisfactorily shown to the judges of the election before such person shall be allowed to vote."

\$10,000 SAVED.

The Western Kentucky Asylum Returns That Amount to the State.

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Commissioners of the Western Kentucky Lunatic Asylum was held at the Asylum Tuesday afternoon and claims aggregating about \$3,300 were allowed.

It was also the annual meeting at which a report for the fiscal year ending Oct. 31 has to be made. The Superintendent's report is given below, which shows the movement of the Asylum population for the last year:

ANNUAL REPORT.

	Male	Female	Total
No patients Nov. 1, '87	310	267	577
" admitted during yr.	51	55	106
" under treatment	371	322	693
" discharged, restored	17	23	40
" " improved	6	13	19
" " unimproved	2	2	4
" eloped	1	0	1
" died	17	60	77
" patients Oct. 31, '88	324	262	586

The Steward's report also submitted shows the total expenses of the year to have been \$85,098.47, or an average of a little less than \$140 per patient. The per capita allowed by the State is \$150 per year.

Condensed State News.

Paducah's new rail road to Pluckneyville, Ill., for which she subscribed \$100,000, was opened for traffic this week.

Col. T. J. Smith was elected Mayor of Bowling Green Saturday without a contest.

Candidates for the Legislature are already cropping out in the Purchase counties.

Seth N. Ramsey snatched with a shot gun at Midway. He was an old bachelor and was on a spree.

J. M. Griffin is talking of starting a Republican paper at Owensboro.

\$1,000.20 Arrears of Pensions.

Mrs. Barbara Griffith, of this city, relic of John L. Griffith, who has been drawing a pension from the date of her application, has been allowed \$1,000.20 back pension. By a law passed at the last session of the present Congress widows are entitled to a pension from the time of their husband's death to their application for pension. Mrs. Griffith met with some difficulty in obtaining the allowance, but we are glad to learn that she at last succeeded in obtaining her demands.

TOBACCO NEWS.

LOUISVILLE TOBACCO MARKET. Sales on our market for the week just closed amount to 215,515 lbs. with receipts for the same period of 148,148 lbs. Sales on our market since January 1st amount to \$1,545,145 lbs. The offerings this week have embraced quite a number of new dark blads mainly short and of an inferior quality. A few new blads, of extra length, however, have appeared on our market and have sold at good prices. There is no change to note in the past week in the prices of old dark tobacco. The following quotations fairly represent our market for dark tobacco now:

Trash, from \$1.00 to 2.00.
Common to medium lugs from \$2.00 to 3.00
Dark rich lugs extra quality from \$3.00 to 4.00.
Common leaf from \$3.00 to 4.00.
Good leaf, extra length, from \$6.00 to 7.50.
Medium to good leaf \$1.00 to 6.00
Dark wrapper leaf \$7.00 to 10.00

SYRUP OF FIGS FOR CONSTIPATION

Surpasses all other remedies in being more easily taken by young and old, more prompt and effective in clearing the system, dispelling COLIC, HEADACHES and FEVERS, and it is the only remedy that will permanently CURE habitual CONSTIPATION by giving strength to the organs on which it acts, so that regular habits may be formed. It is PERFECTLY SAFE IN ALL CASES.

Syrup of Figs

Does not grip, sicken or debilitate. Acts gently, yet promptly and thoroughly, on the kidneys, liver, stomach and bowels, and does not contain any poisonous or injurious substance of any kind.

Syrup of Figs

MANUFACTURED ONLY BY THE CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO., OF SAN FRANCISCO, CAL. LOUISVILLE, KY. NEW YORK, N. Y.

For Sale in good sized Bottles By all Leading Druggists.

N. TOBIN & CO., MERCHANT TAILORS,

No. 108 Main St., OPERA BUILDING.

HOPKINSVILLE, - KY.

CHEAP

Pant Patterns!

We have just received a Nice Line of FALL and WINTER SUITINGS AND TROUSERINGS.

FIRE POLICIES

—AND—

Tornado Policies

FOR SALE CHEAP BY

Austin D. Hicks,

The Insurance Man,

On every class of

Insurable Property and Lightning Clauses

Embraced in all Policies on

Dwelling and Furniture.

He gives all business

Diligent Attention,

And in case of loss sees that the assured is honorably dealt with and

Promptly Paid.

HIS COMPANIES ARE:

GERMAN AMERICAN, of N. Y.

SPRINGFIELD, of Mass.

OAKLAND HOME, of Cal.

SOLICITS YOUR FAVORS.

OFFICE: BANK OF HOPKINSVILLE,

HOPKINSVILLE, - KY.

9-25-17

\$5,000.00 WORTH OF FINE

TAILOR MADE CLOTHING

CONSIGNED TO US BY THE LARGEST CLOTHING MANUFACTORY IN PHILADELPHIA

The Concern Finding Themselves Overstocked, Have Shipped Us About \$5,000.00 Worth Of

Overcoats, Suits and Pants for Men, Boys and Children

To be sold for them regardless of Cost or Expense attached. Everything marked in plain figures the Cost of Manufacturing. If you want a Suit or Overcoat for Yourself or Boy, now is the opportunity. Call early before the best of them are sold.

"OLD RELIABLE."

M. FRANKEL & SONS.

Great Clothing Sale

SPECIALTIES IN FINE GOODS!

We will close the following goods at LOWER PRICES than ever named in this market:

Fine Cheviot, Corkscrew and English Worsted Suits.

Elegant Germania, Sur and Esquimaux Beaver Overcoats.

A large assortment of Astrican and Chinchilla Coats and Vests. A nobby line of Youths' Suits in Frocks and Sacks. Boys' and Children's Suits in great variety.

We thought a large line of SHIRTS, which we will close out in half dozen lots at wholesale price—WHITE SHIRT, 25 CENTS. A new line of UNDERWEAR, HATS, CAPS, GLOVES, HOSIERY, TIES, &c., &c.

Now is the time to buy Warm Winter-wear. Our Job Counters are full of bargains.

PYE, DICKEN & WALL.

Feb. 25-17

WALTER GILLILAND. CLARENCE KENNEDY.

THE BARGAIN STORE

GILLILAND & KENNEDY,

No. 230 NINTH STREET, NEAR DEPOT.

IS THE PLACE TO BUY YOUR GOODS, FOR LOW PRICES ALWAYS RULE AT OUR HOUSE.

DRY GOODS, NOTIONS, BOOTS, SHOES, AND GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS,

At Prices that will Open the Buyers' Eyes. The Best Jeans Pants in the World. We will sell Jeans Cheaper than any House in Town. The Best Dollar Corset in Town. Our Fifty Cent Corset Can't be Beat. All we ask is a Trial.

STYLISH FURNITURE!

C. R. CLARK & CO.,

Main Street, PYE'S OLD STAND, HENRY BLOCK, and Ninth st., under Kentuckian Office.

—KEEP A FULL LINE OF—

ALL KINDS OF FURNITURE!

BEDSTEADS, WARDROBES, ROCKING CHAIRS.

Complete Parlor, Chamber and Dining Sets.

Everything Wanted by the House-keeper.

ALL THE VERY LATEST STYLES, At the Very Lowest Prices!

UNDERTAKING

A SPECIALTY. A Complete line of Metallic and Wood Coffins and Caskets and Burial Robes. All Orders Promptly Attended to.

Dec. 4, 9-17 C. R. CLARK & CO.

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40 & 42 Broadway and 51 New Street, NEW YORK CITY.

Stocks, Bonds, Grain, Provisions and Petroleum Bought, Sold and Carried on Margin. P. S.—Send for explanatory pamphlet. 9-17-17.

The Kentuckian gives you all the Tobacco News. The Kentuckian is only \$2 a year. 9-25-17.

There's Money in Our Music

And our concert captivates customers because the silvery sound means sound silver, saved to every mother's son of them. We are willing to let

Competitors Play the Lyre!

There's no denying that they are great on that instrument and play with a good deal of vim but the lyre doesn't last like our instrument.

WE BLOW OUR HORN!

To announce another bargain offer in which we intend to paralyze prices and pulverize profits on every line of goods we carry. Nothing reserved, nothing exempt but big reductions all round.

We Play By Note

And if you set before us a Treasury Note for one, two or five dollars, we will play so that you will laugh 'till the gunpowder runs out of the heels of your boots. Bring along your notes and we'll make the music at

Ike Lipstine.

Main Street, Gish Corner.

1-3-17.



PERSONAL GOSSIP.

M. C. Forbes went to Erin, Tenn. Wednesday.

Mrs. Jane McDaniel is very sick with bilious fever.

Miss Hallie Hives, of Lafayette, was in the city Wednesday.

Miss Grace Crawford is visiting in the country this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Green, of Gracely, spent yesterday in the city.

Miss Jennie Dulin, of Crofton, is visiting the family of Mrs. L. Brasher.

Neel Glenn, of the Hopkins County Hustler, was in the city Wednesday.

Mrs. J. A. Roach, of Trigg county, spent Wednesday with friends in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben A. Whitlock, of Longview, were in the city Wednesday.

Mrs. W. S. Moore, of Longview, visited Mrs. M. C. Edwards one day this week.

Mrs. Ann Patee, of Montgomery, was the guest of Judge Patee's family Wednesday.

Mrs. Chas. M. Meacham and little son left this morning to visit friends at Hadenville.

Mrs. C. H. Bonte left for Fort Worth, Tex., Monday, to join her husband, who located there a few weeks ago.

Clarksville Progress:—Miss Lena Gleason, of Hopkinsville, is visiting Mrs. Dr. B. P. Howard on Madison street.

H. G. O'Neill of Louisville, left for the West this week. Mrs. O'Neill still remains the guest of her mother, Mrs. W. H. Hopson.

Walter Campbell, Jack Warfield and Harry Tandy attended a quinquennial party at Mr. Ben Bradshaw's near Casey, Wednesday night.

Dr. P. G. Kealey, President of C. C. Gunning, Chief Engineer, of the Ohio Valley Railway, and W. W. Hege, another railroad man, were in the city Wednesday.

At the Phoenix Tuesday: W. H. Stut, Lynn, Mass.; R. C. Morris, St. Louis; J. W. Whittinghill, Madisonville; J. W. Cooper, county; John T. Boddie, Lafayette; A. Howell, Evansville; Wm. Stewart, N. Y.; C. G. Grant, Louisville; E. H. Ward, Cincinnati; J. W. Bready, Lebanon; E. Wankar, St. Louis; Harry Paltz, Cincinnati; W. S. Edwards, Louisville; B. O. Westerfield, E. Liverpool; E. S. Drake, Madisonville; A. C. Lauey, Louisville; M. S. Dermott, Mayaville, Wednesday; A. E. Whitmore, Louisville; J. N. Schlesinger, Boston, Mass.; Neel Glenn, Madisonville; P. G. Kealey, Henderson; W. W. Newman, N. Y.; E. Murphy, Louisville; C. C. Gunning, O. V. Ry.; Jno. Thilman, Jr., Owensboro; G. H. Obner, Cincinnati; J. B. McDougal, St. Louis; Cowan Kirby, Springfield, Tenn.; R. A. Campbell, Louisville; J. W. Whittinghill, Madisonville; L. F. Stevens, Boston; J. M. Mitchell, Evansville; Chas. W. Schmidt, Evansville; H. J. Wile, St. Louis; Col. H. H. Young, Louisville; Geo. S. Carns, Philadelphia. Thursday: J. A. Bailey, Nashville.

A Bold Burglar.

Last Tuesday night a burglar effected an entrance through the window of the caboose of one of the local freight trains of which Thomas Ryan is conductor. The caboose had been side-tracked and some time during the night some one entered it and carried off a suit of clothes, belonging to conductor Ryan, and \$10 in money which was in one of the pockets. Not satisfied with the haul the thief also appropriated a valise filled with clothing, the property of one of the brakemen by the name of Cunningham, and three trunks belonging to the railroad company. The thief is known and will probably be arrested in a short time.

Dr. Forshee Coming.

Dr. T. W. Forshee, the celebrated specialist and surgeon of the Coffee Medical Institute, Louisville, Ky., has at the solicitation of many patients agreed to visit Hopkinsville one day in each month and save them the expense of going to the city for treatment.

He will be at the Phoenix Hotel Saturday Dec. 15th and return every month. Every one suffering from chronic diseases or deformities should consult him. He comes prepared to perform the most difficult surgical operations.

Physicians should bring their patients to see him. Remember date and see "ad" for particulars.

Belong More Pleasant

To the Taste, more acceptable to the stomach, and more truly beneficial in its action, the famous California liquid fruit remedy, Syrup of Figs, is rapidly superseding all others. Try it. One bottle will prove its merits for sale in 60 cents and \$1.00 bottles.

Extending the Ohio Valley.

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Released on a Small Bond.

Dillon Berry, the colored forger who forged the name of W. H. Whitlow to two bank checks and was arrested while in the act of presenting the second at the Planters Bank, was tried Tuesday before Esq. Younglove and released on a bond of \$100. Berry did not deny his guilt, but waived examination. As he is certain to be given a term in the penitentiary if he is ever tried, the bond required was much too light and it is not probable that he will ever show up again. Esq. W. E. Warfield is his bondsman.

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Tobacco Abstinence Speaking.

J. Osborne DeCourcy will speak upon the abstinence inter-state tobacco movement at the following times and places in this and adjoining counties:

Newstead, Tuesday Dec. 11.
Cadiz, Wednesday, Dec. 12.
Princeton, Thursday, Dec. 13.

His purpose in speaking is to organize the people upon the subject of not raising any tobacco another year.

Only Two Deaths.

John H. Clardy, an old and well known citizen of Lafayette, died last Sunday, after a week's illness.

Caroline Palmer, an old colored woman who cooked for Mrs. A. P. Campbell, died yesterday. She was about 60 years old.

CREAM OF THE NEWS.

Coal Thieves Twarded.

Tuesday night after train 75 had passed this place, which was about 8 o'clock, the railroad agent, Mr. Alexander, was notified that quite a quantity of coal had been thrown from a car which had been side-tracked near the tank. Mr. Alexander, Frank Cook and E. F. Morris, the watchman, started down the road to investigate. They had hardly got to where the coal had been thrown when they heard a wagon coming up but did not have time to get out of the way before the driver, who had a lighted lantern, saw them. The driver saw his danger of being detected and got out of the way. The three men, however, came upon a negro who gave him the name of Louis Woodridge, and said that he lived 7 miles from town, but had got on the wrong road. Mr. Morris knew him, and it was Chas. Green. If Charles had any idea of supplying himself with fuel at the expense of the railroad company he failed to say so. Quite a number of sacks were found scattered around, which had been left by their owners. In fact, Mr. Alexander says they saw at least half a dozen negroes who had got out of the way. The railroad company suffers heavy loss by the depredations of thieves every winter, and it seems almost impossible to devise means to prevent it. It should be stopped in some way.

Couldn't Elect.

At the adjourned meeting of the Tobacco Board of Trade, Wednesday, the commission selected at a former meeting reported that they were unable to elect the two inspectors for this market, and asked that the commission be discharged, which was done by a vote of the Board. Then a motion was passed that the Board should, before electing a new commission, adjourn to the Main Street Warehouse and there transact its business, so that Mr. W. A. Lowry, who, on account of illness could not leave his room and desired to participate in the meeting, might be able to take part in the proceedings. After laboring from 3 o'clock until nearly dark the meeting adjourned without accomplishing anything save the election of two of a new electoral commission. The matter will be taken up again at the next regular meeting of the Board of Trade, which comes off the first Wednesday in February.

Mr. C. F. Jarrett, of this city, and Crouch & Son, of Clarksville, were the members of the new commission chosen.

They Did Not Wed.

In the last issue of the KENTUCKIAN appeared an item stating that Mr. Lucian Cayce and Miss Mattie McKnight had been married in Clarksville Sunday. From a communication received yesterday, it seems the young couple did not marry as announced. They went to Clarksville from Herndon together, but after reaching that Gretna Green where so many Kentucky couples have had their destinies united, they for some cause, failed to put their plans into execution, and the young man returned home still minus a bride. Miss McKnight remained a few days to visit a young lady friend in Clarksville.

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THIS AND THAT.

The weather this week has been delightful.

Ross A. Rogers' livery stable, Fritz's old stand.

Go to Wyly & Burnett's for your xmas presents and save money.

The December draft of the common school money has come.

Chas. Jones has been appointed special Opera House policeman.

S. W. Fory will be a candidate for City Attorney. No other candidates are announced.

Clements Oster, the dairyman, has purchased a tract of land near the city, from J. M. Starling.

Miss Rosalie Dagg took charge of a school in Todd county, Monday, and will teach the present session.

Rev. G. H. Hayes, P. E., held quarterly meeting at the Fairview Methodist Church last Saturday and Sunday.

Coal thieves made another unsuccessful attempt to replenish their stock of coal, Wednesday night, from the coal trains.

There will be but one poll in the election to-morrow, which will be located at the City Court room, adjoining the post office.

A protracted meeting will begin at the Methodist Church in Lafayette next Saturday. Rev. J. W. Bigham will assist the pastor.

The Council has been petitioned to meet West Seventeenth Street, otherwise known as Hawkins' Alley. This work ought to be done.

Gilliland & Kennedy have moved their dry goods store from near the depot to the store room adjoining the Kentucky Hotel, No. 22 Ninth St.

Dr. J. N. Metcalf, of Garrettsburg, contemplates moving to Paducah at an early day, and offers his house and lot for rent. See local elsewhere.

The owners of the Glass corner want the city council to pay for the \$45 plate glass smashed in on the night of the Republican ratification.

The Dairy Maids' drill, corps will give an entertainment at Madisonville on the evening of Dec. 21, the proceeds to be given to charitable purposes.

Joe C. Buckner has moved into Mrs. Mary Campbell's desirable Main Street residence. Mrs. Campbell and her son will board with Mr. Buckner's family.

Jno. A. Parrish, a young farmer of St. Charles, Hopkins county, and Miss Minnie Hopson, of Princeton, eloped to Clarksville Wednesday and were married.

The lecture of Col. Sanford last Monday night, the third of the Chautauque series, was an exceptionally fine and highly entertaining one and was greatly enjoyed by an appreciative audience.

Ross Davis, a youth who drives the bread wagon of J. B. Gilbroath & Co., had his hand badly cut a few days since, by an accident while attempting to rein his horse by reaching over the footboard.

There will be the regular morning services at the First Presbyterian Church next Sunday morning. No services at night, on account of the meeting of the Bible Society at the Ninth Street Presbyterian church.

Send your orders to J. S. Brown, Springfield, Tenn., for pure Tennessee and Kentucky whiskeys and apple and peach brandies. Prices of whiskeys \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00 and \$2.25, according to age. Brandies \$2 and \$2.50.

Miss Nellie Blakey, of Auburn, a former pupil of Bethel Female College and a sister of Dr. Blakey, of this city, and Dr. T. Q. Helm, of the same place, were married at the residence of the bride's father Tuesday night last.

Ben A. Whitlock, of Longview, lost his residence by fire a few days since. The origin of the fire is mysterious and Mr. Whitlock believes it was started by an incendiary. The house and contents were insured for \$2,000. Loss \$3,000.

The turnpike on the Palmyra road is completed for a distance of five miles and forty feet. This is all that will be built for the present and full toll rates will be charged hereafter. Capt. Townes, the contractor, finished the work Wednesday afternoon.

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Since Wednesday night, special services have been held every evening at the Christian church. On Saturday night, Dr. A. P. Cobb, of Decatur, Ill., will begin a protracted meeting which will continue for several weeks. Mr. Cobb is a preacher of rare power, and has been eminently successful as an evangelist, having held protracted meetings in many of our largest cities. All are cordially invited to attend the services.

The following from the Owensboro Inquirer tells how a Hopkinsville darkey got himself into trouble: "Sonny Campbell, who was arrested and placed in jail yesterday, charged with illegal voting, was released on bail this morning. Mr. J. J. Montague, his employer, going on his bond. He was called for trial at 3 o'clock this afternoon but the case was continued, neither party being ready. Campbell voted here, but lived at Hopkinsville."

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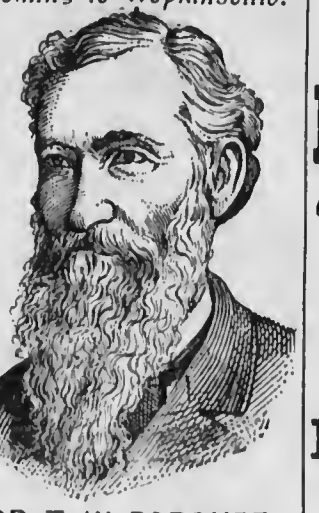
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